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March 26, 1979

Mr. Larry Lahusen  
Geologist  
P.O. Box 729  
Moab, Utah 84532

Re: Universal Uranium Company  
White Jack Uranium Mine  
ACT/015/023

Dear Mr. Lahusen:

The Division staff has reviewed your "Notice of Intent to Commence Mining Operations." We are not able to issue temporary approval to mining operations, but the Division feels that mining operations could commence prior to the approval of the Mining and Reclamation Plan provided that Universal Uranium Company makes the following commitment and supplies the information asked for:

1. Commit to disturb not more than 2 acres of land during operations. As of our last inspection of 3-9-79, we found that access roads to exploratory drill holes had not been reclaimed.
2. We would like a commitment to submit plans and a time schedule for the prompt reclamation of the exploratory drill sites and their access roads.
3. The Division would like to request a map showing the mine pad, buildings, diversion, waste dumps, ore stockpiles, etc.
4. Our Biologist, Mary Ann Wright, has reviewed your statement on the revegetation mix and concurs. She has suggested the following mix:

Fairway crested wheatgrass	3 lbs./acre
Indian ricegrass	1 lb. /acre
Russian wildrye	2 lbs./acre
Utah sweetvetch (or yellow sweetclover if not available)	2 lbs./acre
Four wing saltbush	2 lbs./acre
Total	10 lbs./acre



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I hope this is acceptable to you. If you have any questions,  
please do not hesitate to contact this Division.

Sincerely,

THOMAS J. SUCHOSKI  
RECLAMATION HYDROLOGIST

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